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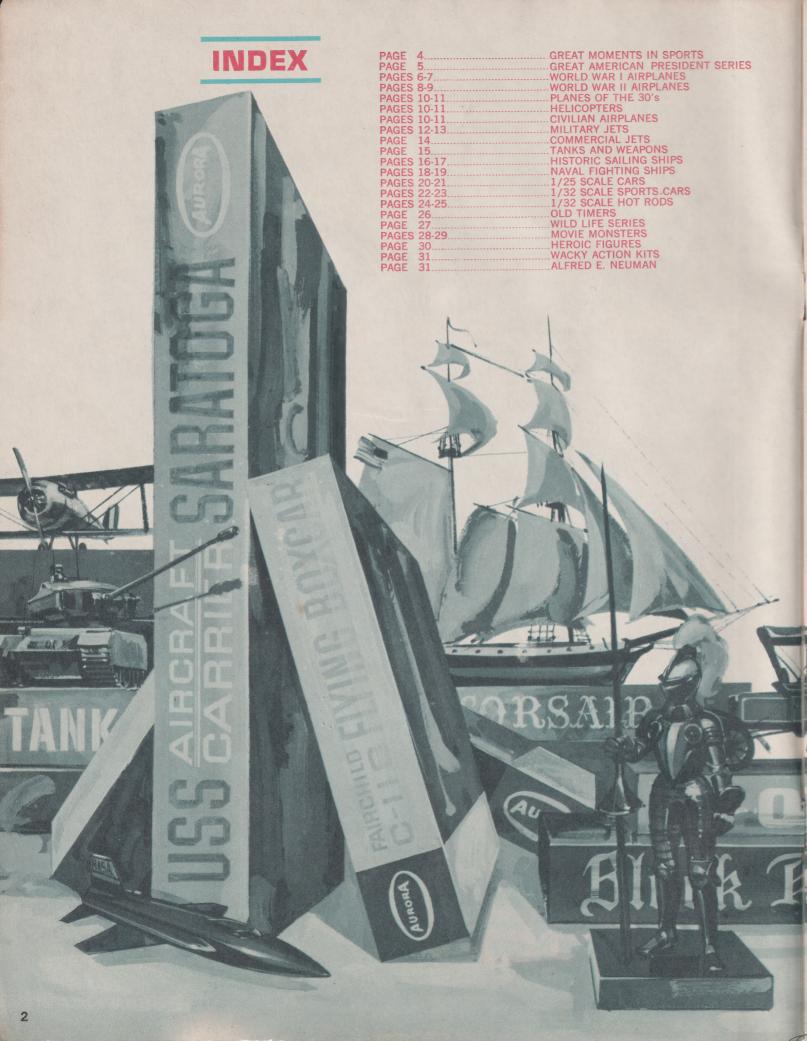


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A HISTORY IN MINIATURE

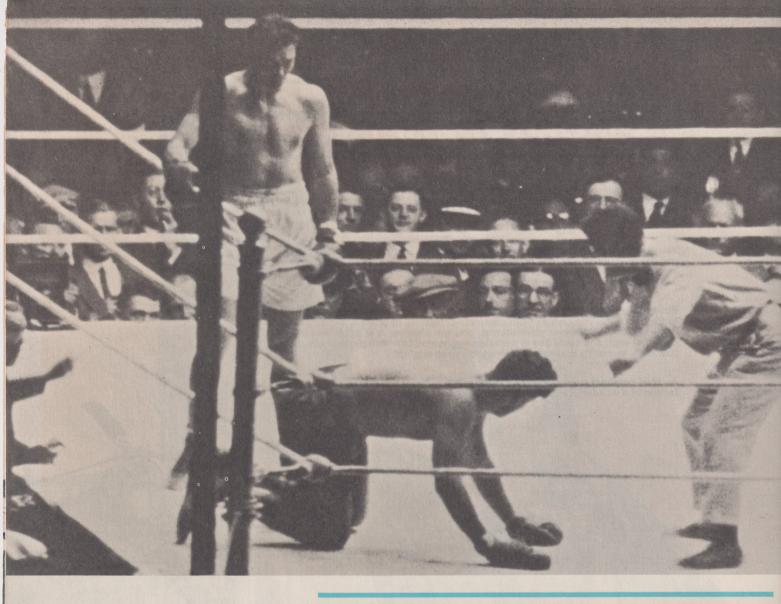
Meet the challenge of recreating history's epic-making events while experiencing the thrill of modeling them with your own hands. With Aurora kits you will travel the road of high adventure through the ages and be there when the great moment took place.

You are there as Washington crosses the Delaware...sitting ringside as Jack Dempsey delivers the punch that made sports history...witnessing knights resplendent in gleaming armor depart for the impending battle of plumes and armor...watching heroic figures from the comic leap to action before your very eyes.

Build these scenes and many, many more! From the largest collection of hobby kits in the world you can choose from complete categories of brilliant designed boats—car—airplanes. Whatever your interest, you will discover it in an Aurora kit, confident that each and every one is precision engineered to match perfectly, reproduced flawlessly to exactly duplicate a famous full-sized original.

As your personal collection grows, you will take increased pride in the lasting perfection of a wonderful world in miniature.

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GREAT MOMENTS IN SPORTS

In brilliant detail! In 3-dimensional action situations! In authentic settings!

Here—the memorable men and events that have thrilled the hearts of sports fans everywhere. Here you see the immortal Jack Dempsey standing over the battered Firpo as the referee tolls the count.

Each scene shows two or more figures in "stop action" at the climax of the event—complete right down to ring ropes.

Each instruction sheet will carry a feature story by a professional sports writer about the "Great Moment."

861 Dempsey vs. Firpo 1.98

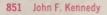


SOON TO COME

A legendary baseball star swats a prodigious homer...an all-pro fullback carries two tacklers with him across the goal line...a sprinting miler breaks the tape for a new world's record...a renowned hockey player slams the puck into the net past a prostrated goalie...a famous basketball headliner drives in for the game-winning lay-up!

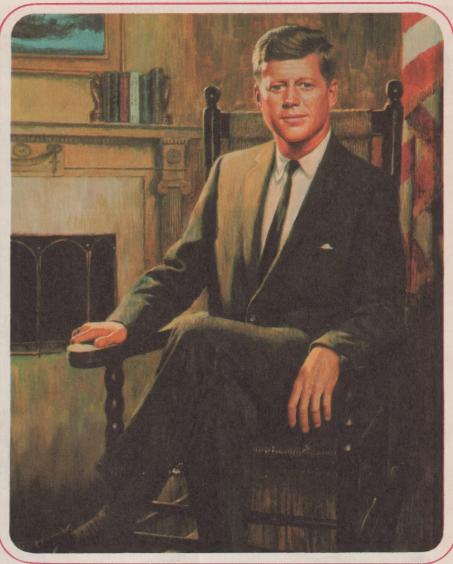
GREAT AMERICAN PRESIDENTS

Aurora is proud to present an exciting new series, "Great American Presidents." Each model portrays the man in his most familiar pose, possessing the same museum-like quality found in all Aurora kits.



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A remarkable likeness of John F. Kennedy in his famous rocking chair includes a replica of a White House fireplace, with a full color decal of the PT-109 action painting and a real cloth American flag.





GEORGE WASHINGTON crossing the Delaware



ULYSSES S. GRANT before the Battle of The Wilderness



THEODORE ROOSEVELT



ANDREW JACKSON at the Battle of New Orleans



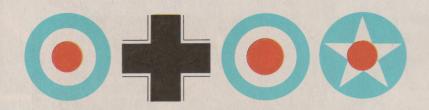
DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER in his SHAEF war room



FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT in his famous touring car



ABRAHAM LINCOLN delivering the Gettysburg Address



WORLD WAR I PLANES

See the romance and drama of history's greatest epic captured in scale models of the most feared fighters and bombers of that era. These are the heroes of the war in the air; the respected members of the Lafayette Escadrille and the notorious Flying Circus...all available in exciting Aurora kits! Models are complete with decals, detailed open-cockpit design and life-like figures of the mechanics and aces who piloted them to victory. Molded in two colors and equipped with movable propellers.



107 Spad 13



106 Fokker D-7 .79



102 Sopwith Camel .79



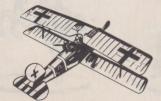
141 Breguet .98



134 Fokker Eindecker



105 Fokker DR-1 Triplane



136 Halberstadt CL-2



113 F2B Brisfit .98



100 Sopwith Triplane "Black Maria" .79



109 Pfalz D-3 .79



142 Albatross C-3



104 German Albatross



101 French Nieuport



108 Nieuport 28



135 Fokker D-8 .7



103 British Scout





WORLD WAR II PLANES

Here are the gallant planes always remembered for the great records they racked up in every theatre of World War II. In Aurora kits the most popular combat planes of that time are accurately portrayed as they flew the war's most dangerous missions—bombardier, beautifully etched parts, authentic military decals, clear plastic canopies and windshields. Terrific in every respect!



352 "Twelve O'Clock High" Kit 1.98





288 Grumman S-2F "Hunter-Killer"
145 Grumman S-2F "Hunter-Killer"

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372 B-29 Super Fortress 2.49



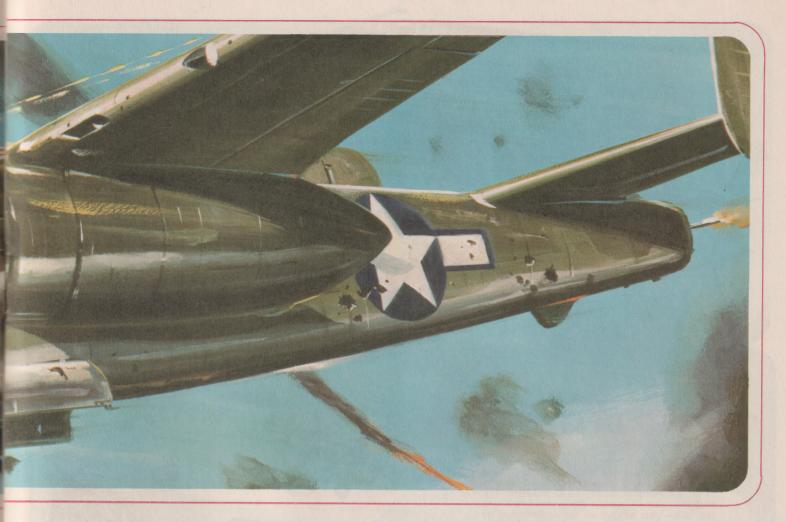
373 B-25 Mitchell Bomber 2.49



393 Flying Boxcar 2.49



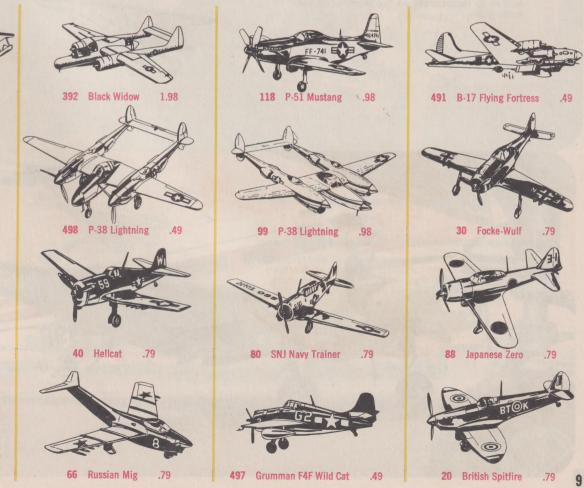
371 B-26 Martin "Marauder"





44 Curtis P-40 .79









PLANES OF THE '30S

Build the rugged planes that headlined the '30s and capture the glamour of pre-World War I flying. Here are highly-detailed models of the aircraft that pioneered an industry. The first mail plane—pursuit planes that flew into the '40s—pets of civil air clubs. Designed by Aurora to incorporate all the features of their prototypes.

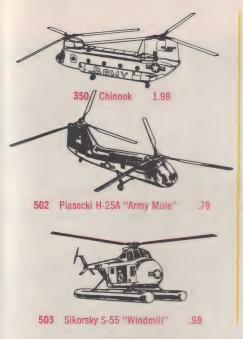






117 Curtiss SBC-3 "Helldiver"







HELICOPTERS

One of the most versatile vehicles in the air, the helicopter is particularly renowned for its unique ability to act both as a rescue and assault plane. Aurora models reflect the distinguishing characteristics that give each "Whirlybird" a look all its own.







285 Aero Commander .29





284 Beechcraft "Super 18" .29 **83** Beechcraft "Super 18" .79

CIVILIAN PLANES

Sportsmen and businessmen alike thrill to the adventure of flying smooth, compact planes that go places fast. One look at the models will show why they are far and away the favorites of thousands of private plane owners. For snappy good looks, they can't be beat!





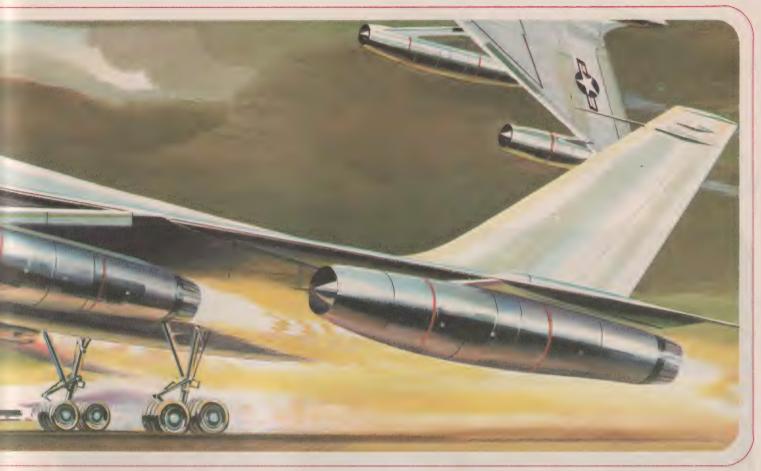




MILITARY JETS

From Aurora, exciting replicas of the awe-inspring planes that crashed through the sound barrier to father the spacecraft of the future! Models possess all the amazing features of great Jet Air Forces the world over. Sleek design and silhouettes are the most realistic ever. Adorned in full military dress, this superb collection will be awarded top honors by plane modelers everywhere.





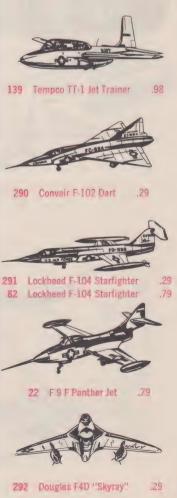


394 McDonnell Phantom 1.98





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COMMERCIAL JETS

You'll imagine yourself up front with the pilot when you see the thrilling realism in these giants of the skies. Faithfully reproduced and true to scale from nose to tail, each model is authentically engraved to duplicate majestic globe-trotting luxury liners. Rewarding to build and impressive as display pieces. Look for the decals and display stand included in each pacakge.







353 United Boeing 727 Jet Liner 1.98



382 TWA Boeing 707



383 Deita Convair 880

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381 Pan American Boeing 707 1.98



387 United DC-8 2.49



386 Pan Am DC-8 2.49



307 World War II Howitzer



308 World War II Long Tom





301 Gen. Patton Tank



TANKS AND WEAPONS

The heroic fighters that broke through enemy lines on all fronts! The exciting detail in this group dramatically defines the hidden power of their massive prototypes. Handsome embellishments, operating parts throughout and true to life tank commanders and crews in action poses are just a few of their great features.



314 M109 Tank

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.98 302 German Panther Tank



300 British Centurion Tank



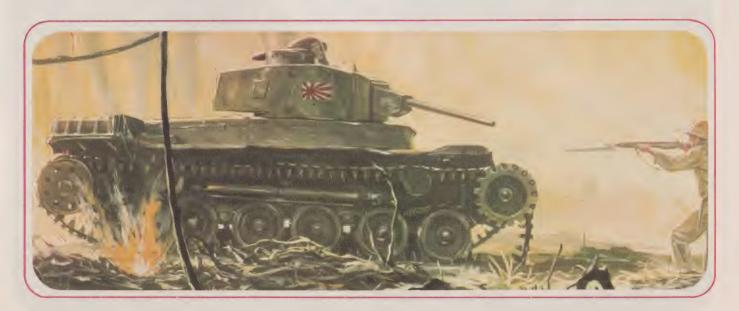
309 W.W. II M-8 Munitions Carrier



312 German Tiger Tank



303 Russian Stalin Tank





HISTORIC SAILING SHIPS

Detect a hint of salt in the air as you span the centuries with model maritime masterpieces. From mast to hull each historic rig is decked out in full naval regalia to capture the beautiful lines of the famous ships of yore...from the buccaneer ship "Black Falcon" to one of the best-known merchants of all-time, the "Cutty Sark." Seafaring hobbyists of all ages will thrill to Aurora's fascinating array of sailing ships. complete with insignias, sails and ing ships, complete with insignias, sails and all the riggings of the originals. Mounted on unusual display stands for super-realism.



432 Cuttysark



724 American Cup Sailboat

(not a hobby kit-a real sailboat that is assembled in seconds . . . sails like a champion!)









210 Black Falcon

NAVAL FIGHTING SHIPS

Copied line for line from Navy blueprints, Aurora's first-rate collection of defense vessels includes submarines, battleships, nuclear-powered warships and carriers with full complement of aircraft. Scale models are big — bold — breathtaking — carry all the dramatic flight and deck armaments found on the mighty originals. Perfect for hobbyists who appreciate a challenge, kits are complete with easy to follow instructions and factual histories.



720 Nuclear Powered U.S.N. Enterprise 9.95



705 U.S.A. lowa 1.49



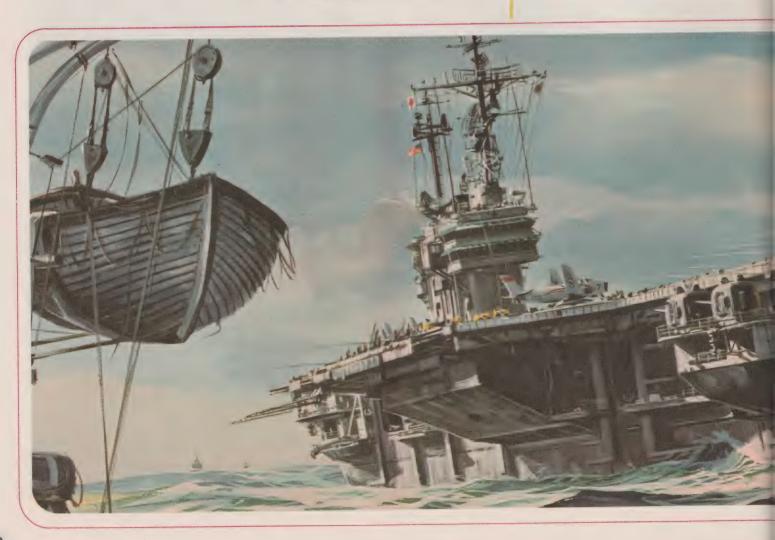
713 Japanese Battleship Yamato 1.98



702 Aircraft Carrier U.S.S. Saratoga 2.



708 Atomic Sub S.S.N. Nautilus .98











1/25 SCALE CARS





560 Studebaker Avanti 1.98





565 Ford GT 1.98



570 Undertaker Dragster 1.98



532 1932 Ford Motorized Hot Rod 1.98



561 Porsche 904 1.98



567 XKE laguar Convertible 1.49



564 Maserati 3500 GT 1.98



563 Ferrari Berlinetta 1.98



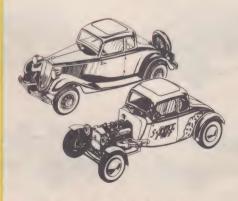
566 Cust, XKE Jaguar Touring 1.49

There are no look-alikes in Aurora's diversified collection of 1/25 scale cars. Domestic and foreign numbers and way-out dragsters are vividly reproduced in kits that are second to none! Catch their great interior detail...polished surfaces...loads of chrome parts. Build hardtop and convertible models. All are sure to yield hours of pleasure to the hobbyist.





562 Aston Martin DB4



568 Double Deuce — 2 in 1 1.98



1/32 SCALE SPORTS CARS

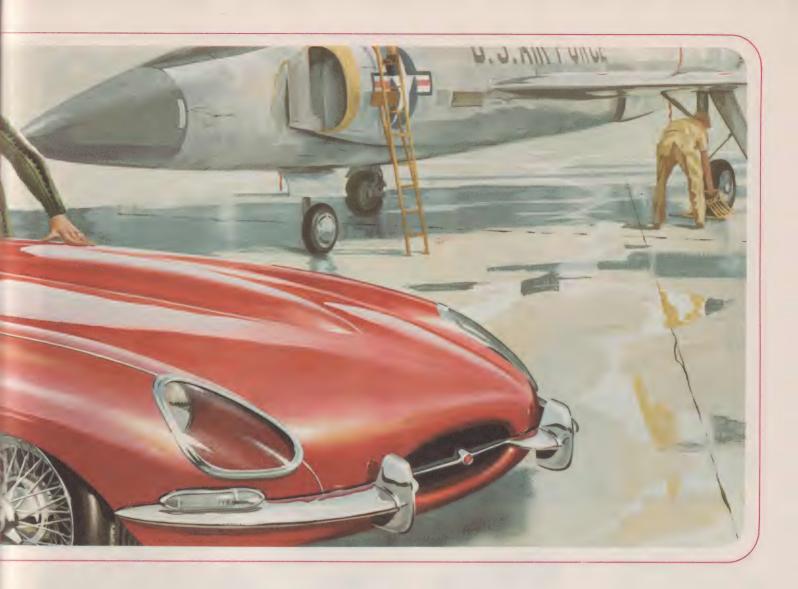
Own cars that race to w-i-n on great racing circuits the world over. The unparalleled beauty and style of internationally famous sports cars have been authentically caught in Aurora kits. They are engineered to fit together with the precision of a Grand Prix winner...designed to reproduce the sweeping contours and most minute details of the dazzling originals. For car buffs who want exceptional quality, this collection is a 'must'!

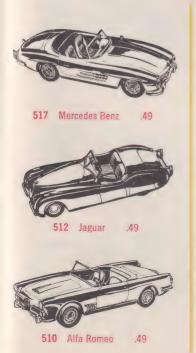






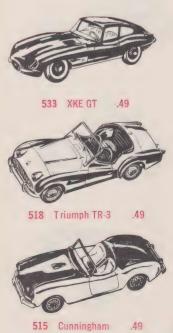














1/32 SCALE HOT RODS

Hot Rods Unlimited! Winners one and all. Aurora's exclusive line of miniature dragsters are unique buggies decorated with details topping anything in the field. Mix 'em, match 'em, customize them yourself. They're show stoppers in absolutely perfect 1/32 scale.



552 1930 Ford Surf Buggy



663 Armored Car



528 1927 Ford Pick Up Shiftin Drifter .49



555 Chevy "Draggin Wagon"



537 '28 Chevy "Moody Monster"

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534 Ford Rolls "Scat Cat"



558 1930 Ford Woodin' Wagon .79



530 "Hot Rod" Show Trailer



535 T Dragster "Spyder"



508 '29 Ford A Pick Up "Wolf Wagon" .49



507 27 Ford "T" Sad Sack .49



551 Ford Hot Rod Touring Car



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553 Hearse with a Curse .79



536 T-Rod "The Charger" .49



529 1929 Ford Pick Up "Beatnik Box" .49



557 1927 Ford "Hi-Stepper"



662 1937 Packard Ambulance



554 '32 Ford "32 Skid Doo"

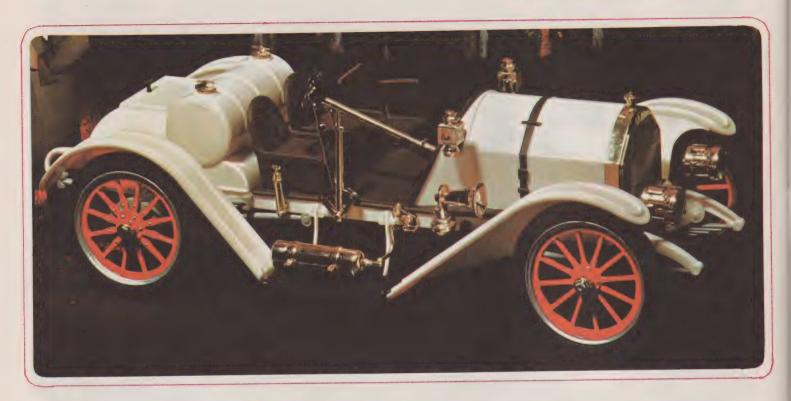


527 '21 Ford "T for 2"



556 1924 Buick Touring Car

OLD-TIMERS





1.98 572 1911 Mercer Raceabout



575 Rambler 1.98



1.98 571 1914 Stutz Bearcat



573 1909 Stanley Steamer



574 Buick "Bug" 1.98



576 Curved Dash Olds

Designed to fulfill a museum curator's dream, perky models of antique cars are jam packed with personality and all the wonderful features found on cars seen around the turn of the century. Certainly among the most beautiful of Aurora kits, they are a joy to build and come fully-equipped with plated parts, rubber wheels and old-fashioned headlights and horns. Molded in multi-colors.



WILD LIFE



MOVIE MONSTERS

The ghoulish culprits in this line-up are all guilty...of being the most popular inhuman beings on the screen. Now you can own models of classics revived over and Now you can own models of classics revived over and over again in your favorite monster movies. Color them anything, it's great fun. Recreate the greenish glow of Frankenstein's face, or start off with Dracula. Your fiendish friends will be admired by everyone who knows a monster when he sees one. Set on stands duplicating their unnatural surroundings.



468 King Kong 1.49



423 Frankenstein



424 Dracula .98



469 Godzilla 1.49



427 Mummy



425 Wolf Man



458 Wolf Man's Wolfwagon



461 Hunchback of Notre Dame



428 Phantom of the Opera



426 Creature



485 Godzilla's Go Cart .98



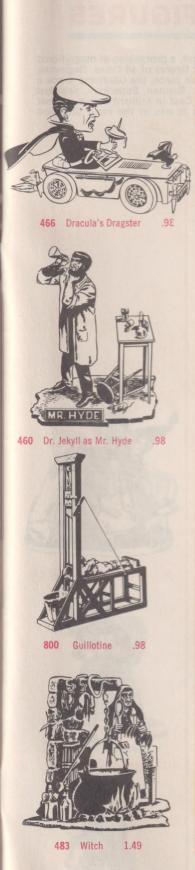
465 Frankie's Flivver .98



459 Mummy's Chariot



484 King Kong's Thronester









HEROIC FIGURES

From the past and from the present, a procession of magnificent models recreates the great heroic figures of all times. Beginning with Spartacus and his companion piece, the Gladiator, trace a history to the heroes of today....Batman, Superman, depicted in familiar power-packed scenes. Cast in brilliant colors and set on bases with name plates, this is one of the most attention getting series you'll ever build!



467 Batman 1.49



462 Superman .98



472 Blue Knight of Milan

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473 Black Knight of Nurnberg



478 Superboy



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471 Silver Knight of Augsburg



474 Red Knight of Vienna

WACKY ACTION KI



802 Alfred E. Neuman

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Outfitted in sneakers and jeans, Alfred E. Neuman stepped right off the cover of MAD magazine into a fabulous hobby kit. Aurora's model of the rebellious "What-Me-Worry?" kid exactly copies his silly grin and precocious looks and comes with four sets of snap-in arms. This prize of a kit is in a category by itself!

Here are two contraptions that put medieval torture chambers way into left field. Just turn a crank and watch them move. Gears mesh, wheels turn, puller pulls and smacker smacks...setting off a racket caused by an attached noise-maker. Listen to the bad boy cry when he gets his comeuppance from Wacky Back Whacker! This delightful duo is fun to build, to operate and to display



475 Gold Knight of Nice



405 Spartacus .98





806 Nutty Nose Nipper 1.98



807 Wacky Back Whacker



and to display.

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